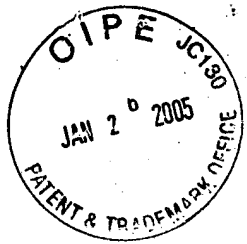


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**Amendment**

In response to the Office Action dated 11-2-04, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Applicant's pending claims are amended as listed below.

**In The Claims**

1 (*currently amended*): A method for decomposing H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> comprising, passing said H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> over an activated catalyst, said activated catalyst having a porous base, said porous base being doped with a calcined cation selected from the group consisting of Mn, Ag, Ru, Pb, V, Cr and Co, said base being ~~monolithic~~ a monolith ~~or being divided into particles~~  
~~which are closely packed into a container.~~